MR. P. N. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Secretary to Government*) : The answer is in the negative.

Abolition of the Administrative Board, Medical Services.

23. **MR. ITTOOP ITTEECHAN** (*Kunnatnad*) : Will the Government be pleased to state whether they have any idea of abolishing the Administrative Board, Medical Services, and reviving the office of the Darbar Physician in its place, as of old ?

MR. P. N. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Secretary to Government*) : The Administrative Board, Medical Services, was constituted as an experimental measure. The Government have no idea at present of abolishing the Board.

Second Class Magistrates.

24. **MR. ITTOOP ITTEECHAN** (*Kunnatnad*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) how many of the total number of Second Class Magistrates in the State are acting ;

(*b*) how long each of them has been acting ;

(*c*) the number of Second Class Magistrates' places permanently vacant ; and

(*d*) if there are permanent vacancies, the reasons for not confirming the acting men ?

MR. T. K. MADHAVAN NAYAR (*Ag. Secretary to Government*) : (*a*) and (*b*) The member is referred to the *Civil List*.

(*c*) and (*d*) There are two permanent vacancies. The question of filling them up is under consideration.

MR. ITTOOP ITTEECHAN (*Kunnatnad*): സ്ഥിരം ഒഴിവുകൾ ഉണ്ടായിട്ടു ഇപ്പോൾ എത്ര കാലമായി ?

MR. T. K. MADHAVAN NAYAR (*Ag. Secretary to Government*) : സ്ഥിരമായിരണ്ടു ഒഴിവുകൾ മാത്രമെ ഉണ്ടായിട്ടൊള്ളൂ.

MR. ITTOOP ITTEECHAN (*Kunnatnad*): ഇതുവരെ ആ ഒഴിവുകളിൽ എന്തുകൊണ്ടാണ് ആൾ നിയമിക്കാത്തത് ?

MR. T. K. MADHAVAN NAYAR (*Ag. Secretary to Government*): അതി നെപറ്റി ഗവണ്മെൻറു ഗാഢമായിട്ടു ആലോചിക്കയാണു് ?

PRESIDENT : You must answer in English.

MR. T. K. MADHAVAN NAYAR (*Ag. Secretary to Government*) : The matter is under consideration.

Mr. K. V. Rangaswami Aiyangar, Principal, College of Arts.

25. **MR. ITTOOP ITTEECHAN** (*Kunnatnad*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether their attention has been drawn to the objectionable remarks about Mar Dionysius, the Metropolitan, made by Mr. K. V. Rangaswami Aiyangar, Principal, His Highness the Maha Raja's College of Arts, Trivandrum, at the time of his inspection of the Tumpaman School as the Ag. Director of Public Instruction ;

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